**So What is Art Anyway?**

Looking….Seeing….Discussing….Doing

**Art Objectives:**

1. To provide the opportunity for all high school students to experience the creative and esthetic values of Art.
2. To encourage student appreciation of the artist’s creative efforts and skills.
3. To emphasize the role art plays in the student’s daily life, environment and culture.
4. To discover and nurture any unusual abilities and interests in art among the students enrolled.

**This Art Course will cover the following areas:**

* Advanced Drawing and Painting
* Principles and Elements of Design
* Photography
* Color Theory
* Ceramics

Independent students will be responsible to design their own projects and will be expected to monitor their work, and meet a due date. They will be held accountable for their participation and effort everyday in class.

**Student Responsibilities in the Art Room:**

* Students are to be in the classroom at their assigned seat and ready to begin when the bell rings.
* Always be prepared, bring whatever you need to complete the daily work
* Identify your work; work without a name will receive no credit
* Hall passes and restroom passes are given at the discretion of the teacher. Students must bring their planners to art class every day
* You will be dismissed only when you are seated and your area is in order
* Absences and tardies will be handled as stated in the Student Handbook
* All art projects are evaluated according to the stated criteria and how the student met those criteria
* Students are responsible for the care and cleaning of their work area and their supplies
* If class time is used for other than the assigned daily work, it will be deducted from the student’s weekly work grade
* Students should always treat others with respect, and treat their property with respect
* Students will be expected to keep a weekly art notebook

**Please Sign and Return the Bottom Form**

My son/daughter and I have read the above student responsibilities and understand the importance of abiding by them.

Parent/Guardian signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

For communication purposes, please provide:

Parent Email:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent Phone Number:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If you ever have questions or concerns, please call me at 734-529-7008 ext. 3401

Sincerely, Ms. Lindsay Powers High School Art